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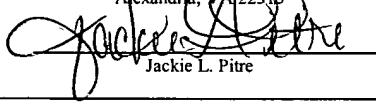
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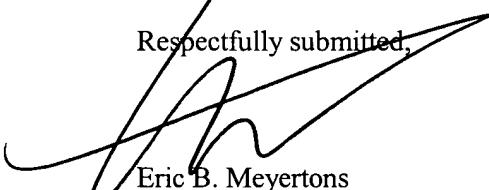
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		6852076	02/08/2005	Nikolic et al.			

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**OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

FF1	Di Donato, M. et al. "Regional Myocardial performance of non-ischaemic zones remote from anterior wall left ventricular aneurysm - Effects of aneurysmectomy", European Heart Journal, (1995) 16, 1285-1292.
FF2	International Preliminary Examination Report for PCT/US02/16304 mailed March 29, 2005 (Atty. Docket No.: 5838 00901).
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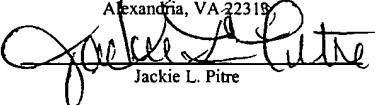


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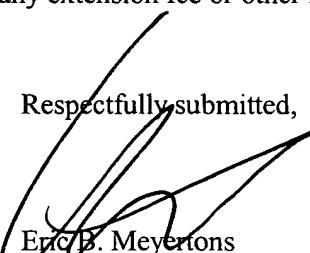
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